

February 20, 1951.
Ways and Means.

House File 470
By SLOANE and RYAN.

Passed House, Date
Vote: Ayes..... Nays.....
Passed Senate, Date.....
Vote: Ayes..... Nays.....
Approved

A BILL FOR

An Act to amend section four hundred sixteen point one hundred
thirty-six (416.136), Code 1950, relating to taxation
to provide a zoo.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 Section 1. Section four hundred sixteen point one hundred
2 thirty-six (416.136), Code 1950, is amended by inserting in line
3 four (4) after the word “annually,” the following: “a tax of
4 not to exceed one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) mill on the dollar on all taxable
5 property of the city to be used for the only purposes of
6 construction of, and procuring a site for and maintenance
7 and necessary repairs for a zoo, and”.

EXPLANATION OF H. F. 470

This bill will authorize a tax for the construction and maintenance of zoos in cities
over 50,000 population. It is felt that the recreational benefits from such establishments
are needed in many of our cities.